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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 28,066; Week ago 28,191; Year ago 25,627 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
366 lbs.	131.65	365 lbs.	117.11	347 lbs.	86.75
462 lbs.	125.13	452 lbs.	112.70	454 lbs.	89.12
548 lbs.	118.97	547 lbs.	108.78	549 lbs.	89.93
641 lbs.	115.81	636 lbs.	107.45	680 lbs.	84.30
750 lbs.	113.70	730 lbs.	106.08	727 lbs.	86.57
841 lbs.	110.42	854 lbs.	98.61	819 lbs.	80.07
925 lbs.	107.10				

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains)

Receipts: 4065; Week ago 4929; Year ago 2538 Compared to last week, steers and heifers 2.00 to 5.00 lower, with most 550-600 lbs heifers 4.00 to 6.00 lower, although some better quality and conditioned calves steady at times, even a few 7 weights firm. Heavier weights not well tested. Slaughter cows 1.00 to 2.00 higher, bulls 2.00 higher.

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	STEERS:	<u>HEIFERS</u> :		
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1		
400-500 lbs. 117.00-132.00 500-600 lbs. 109.00-119.00 600-700 lbs. 107.50-115.00		500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	110.00-120.00 105.00-115.00 98.00-110.00 97.50-105.00	
700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.		700-800 lbs.	Scarce	
Large 3 Holsteins		SLAUGHTER C Breaking and Bo	ning (70-85%	
500-600 lbs. 751 lbs.	80.00-84.00 80.00 77.50	lean) 44.50-53.00, high dressing 49.00-56.50. Lean (85-90%) 41.00-46.00, low dressing 35.00-		

41.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1350-2000 lbs 58.00-
64.00, high dressing 66.50-68.50,
low dressing 51.00-56.00.

804 lbs.

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5 to 7 yrs few ss 1050-1200 lbs with baby to 250 lb calves 900.00-1060.00 per pair, couple 6 yrs 1200-1375 lbs bred back 1st stage with 200-450 lb calves 1060.00-1175.00 per pair.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3 to 7 yrs 1050-1300 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 750.00-850.00 per head. Few black -black whiteface 1090-1280 lbs mostly 2nd stage 875.00-1010.00, lot 16 head uniform blacks 5 to 6 yrs 1036 lbs 1 stage 850.00 per head. Small package Large 2 6 yrs 1470 lbs 3rd stage 900.00 per head, several ss 1050-1285 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 550.00-690.00 per head.

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SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 6528; week ago 6557; year ago 6205 Cow and Bull Receipts 1608; week ago 1586; year ago 2762 Compared to last week, steers steady, heifers steady to 2.00 lower, Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher, bulls 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS</u> :		
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1		
300-400 lbs.	127.00-135.00	300-400 lbs.	116.00-121.00	
400-500 lbs.	119.00-137.00	400-500 lbs.	105.00-116.00	
500-600 lbs.	110.00-129.00	500-600 lbs.	102.00-112.00	
600-700 lbs.	112.00-120.00	600-700 lbs.	103.00-108.00	
700-800 lbs.	111.00-113.50	700-800 lbs.	102.00-105.50	
800-900 lbs.	103.00-107.50	800-900 lbs.	96.50-102.50	
HOLSTEINS: Large Frame 3 300-400 lbs. 84.00-91.00 400-500 lbs. 84.00-96.50 500-600 lbs. 85.00-94.50 600-700 lbs. 79.00-87.00 700-800 lbs. 83.00-88.50 800-900 lbs. Scarce		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 45.00-52.75, high dressing 50.50-57.50 Lean (85-90%) 39.50-45.00, low dressing 32.00-40.00 SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1095-2170 lbs 56.00-63.50; high dressing 63.00-69.00, low dressing 50.00-57.50.		
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs-ss mouth 2nd and 3rd stage 1085-1345 lbs most 700.00-900.00, some more attractive 935.00-1135.00 per head		COW & CALF P and Large 1-2 2 1075-1345 lb from baby to 400 lb ca bred 1200.00-146	yrs-ss mouth m dispersals with lves several re-	

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2354, Week ago 1407, Year ago 2329

Compared to last week feeder steers under 700 lbs 2.00 to 4.00 higher, heavier weights steady, Heifers under 700 lbs steady to 2.00 higher, heavier weights not well tested. Slaughter cows and bulls steady.

	STEERS: and Large 1	<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1		
400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.	126.50-139.00 118.25-130.00 109.60-122.00 115.00 109.35-115.75 107.10	500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	109.25-116.50 102.50-115.50 101.50-111.50 109.10 Scarce Scarce	
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.50-52.00, high dressing 50.00-53.00, Lean (85-90%) 40.00-47.00.		
COW & CALF F and Large 1-2 Sc		SLAUGHTER E Grade 1-2, 1400	<u>BULLS:</u> Yield -2200 lbs. 57.00-	

61.00, low dressing 49.75-56.00.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic) Receipts 3493; Week ago 4066; Year ago 4124 Compared to last week calves steady to 4.00 lower with some up to 9.00 lower, yearlings steady to weak. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00

Medium and Large 1 and 1-2	FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 and 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 117.00-138.00 400-500 lbs. 114.00-139.50 500-600 lbs. 110.00-129.00 600-700 lbs. 108.00-121.00 700-800 lbs. 108.00-118.73 800-900 lbs. 103.85-112.50 REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs-ss, 885-1450 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 775.00-975.00 per head.	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. SLAUGHTER (and Boning (75-50.75, High dress	104.00-129.00 104.25-124.50 99.50-116.50 102.50-116.75 100.00-108.75 99.25-103.00 COWS: Breaking 85% lean) 45.75- ssing 50.00-57.50, 39.00-47.00, low	
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 3-7 yrs 1150-1450 lbs with 90-420 lb calves 900.00-1050.00 per pair	SLAUGHTER I Grade 1-2, 1025 62.00, low dress	<u>BULLS:</u> Yield -2010 lbs 57.00- ing 48.25-56.25	

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville) Receipts: 5186; Week ago 3859; Year ago 4762 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady, slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1& 1-2		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1 & 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	120.00-134.00 115.00-131.00 110.00-125.00 110.00-120.00 107.00-118.00 104.00-113.00	300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	105.00-115.00 103.00-117.50 103.00-113.50 102.00-115.00 102.00-108.00	
SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIF- ERS: few Choice 2-3 85.25- 88.25.		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking, Boning, and Lean (70-90% lean) 40.00-52.00, high dressing 47.00-57.00, low dressing 30.00-42.00. SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1300-2400 lbs 55.00-65.00, few 65.00-69.50.		

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Green City, New Cambria, Macon) Feeder Cattle Receipts 2730; week ago 4066; year ago 2513 Slaughter Cattle Receipts 25; week ago 52; year ago 16 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers under 700 lbs steady to 4.00 lower, over 700 lbs steady on a light test. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter steers and heifers not tested.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> :		
	Medium and	Large 1-2	Medium and	Large 1-2
	300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	131.00-138.00 118.00-131.00 114.50-130.00 115.00-120.00 108.00-117.35	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	119.00-124.00 108.00-122.75 107.00-115.75 105.25-108.75 104.00-110.25
	800-900 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	Scarce
	SLAUGHTER STE 2-3 1150-1400 lbs 8		SLAUGHTER CO and Boning (75-85 57.25, low dressing	% lean) 47.00-
	SLAUGHTER HEI 2-3 Scarce	FERS: Choice	SLAUGHTER BU Grade 1-2 1250-22 66.25	
	COW & CALF PAI and Large 1-2 5-7 y		REPLACEMENT dium and Large 1-	

yrs 900-950 lbs 2nd stage

1000.00-1175.00 per head.

lbs with baby calves 1000.00-

1100.00 per pair.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts 1892; Week ago: 1953; Year ago 1588

FEEDER STEERS:

Compared to last week steers under 500 lbs 2.00 to 4.00 lower, over 500 lbs 2.00 higher, heifers 3.00 lower Slaughter cows 1.00 lower, bulls steady.

FEEDER HEIFERS:

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1-2

Medium and Large 1-2		Medium and Large 1-2		
250-300 lbs.	118.00-128.00	250-300 lbs.	105.00-113.00	
300-400 lbs.	109.00-128.00	300-400 lbs.	95.00-109.00	
400-500 lbs.	102.00-115.50	400-500 lbs.	92.25-107.50	
500-600 lbs.	101.50-117.00	500-600 lbs.	90.00-109.50	
600-700 lbs.	101.00-114.00	600-700 lbs.	91.00-100.50	
700-800 lbs.	95.00-105.00 ⁻	700-800 lbs.	90.00-96.00	
REPLACEMENT	COWS:	SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking		
Medium and Larg	ge 1-2, 4-7 yrs	and boning (75-8	35% lean) 44.00-	
885-1415 lbs 2nd	and 3rd stage	51.00; high dress	sing 51.50-55.50,	
650.00-780.00 per head.		Lean 34.50-37.50.		
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium		SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield		
and Large 1-2 few 4-7 yrs 940-		Grade 1-2, 1280-2115 lbs 51.00-		
		58.50.		
700.00-960.00 per pair.				

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 3749, Week ago 3040, Year ago 2301

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers steady to 3.00 lower, Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower.

	8		0-	
300-400 lbs.	123.50-142.00	300-400 lbs.	110.00-117.00	
400-500 lbs.	113.00-130.00	400-500 lbs.	105.00-117.00	
500-600 lbs.	112.00-119.75	500-600 lbs	103.00-115.00	
600-700 lbs.	110.00-118.25	600-700 lbs.	102.50-114.50	
700-800 lbs.	108.00-112.50	700-800 lbs.	96.25-106.00	
REPLACEMENT COW	VS: Medium	SLAUGHTER C	OWS: Break-	
and Large 1-2 2-9 yrs 1	000-1400 lbs	ing and Boning (70-85% lean)		
2nd and 3rd stage 700.0	0-920.00 per	46.50-54.00, high dressing		
head.		50.00-58.25, Lea	n (85-90%)	
		41.00-48.50, low	dressing	
		35.00-42.00	C	
COW & CALF PAIRS:	Medium and	SLAUGHTER B	ULLS: Yield	
Large 1 Few 6-8 yrs 11	•	Grade 1-2, 1350-		
with 175-350 lb calves		55.00-64.50, low		
1100.00 per pair.		56.00. high dress		
par.				

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts 600; Week ago 0; Year ago 200 Compared to last week trade inactive, as of 8:00 a.m. Friday. With trade late last Friday on live sales, no recent comparison.

STEERS: Choice and Select 2-3 STEERS AND HEIFERS: 1200-1300 lbs 91.50-92.50 No Sales

HEIFERS: Choice and Select 2-GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): 3 1100-1250 lbs 91.50-92.50 No sales

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 9921, Week ago 10,731; Year ago 11,265 Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 1.00 higher, Sows 2.00 higher

BARROWS AND GILTS: SOWS:

Base carcass meat price 52.00, 300-500 lbs 20.00-26.00 Weeks top Friday 52.00 Over 500 lbs 27.00-31.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 14,899 (10-19-07)

Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 1.00 lower and feeder pigs not tested. Supply and Demand Moderate.

All pig prices based on a delivered basis including freight and fees.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights Delivered 83% formulated 11,741 head 10 lbs 18.00-41.54, weighted average 10 lbs 32.96

Feeder pigs 40-50 base weights Delivered 0 % formulated 3158 head 40 lbs 33.00

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES (DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	263.40	208.50	250.00	124.50
St. Louis	293.00	205.00	254.25	114.00

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards, Mexico, MO 10/18/07

10/18/07
Receipts: 109, Last Month 592
Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice few Prime 1-2 shorn/wooled 95-135 lbs 81.00-86.00, pkg 89.00; hair lambs 80-100 lbs 81.00-89.00, pkg 57 lbs 89.00. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 75-105 lbs 84.00-95.00. Slaughter Ewes: Few Good 2-3 110-160 lbs 25.00-30.00. Replacement Ewes: pkg 2-3 yrs 182 lbs 27.00. Slaughter Bucks few 140-145 lbs 27.00. Goats: Slaughter Classes- Kids: Selection 1 pkg 75 lbs 66.000, Selection 2 pkg 58 lbs 47.00, Selection 2-3 pkg 68 lbs 52.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 2-3 85 lbs 37.00-44.00, 105-130 lbs 46.00-51.00. Billies: Selection 1 ind. 140 lbs 100.00. Selection 1 ind. 140 lbs 100.00.

Norwood Dairy Sale 10/11/07

Receipts: 1510 Last Month: 6088 Year Ago: 1468 Springer heifers: Bred 7-9 months: Supreme 2025.00-2425.00 Crossbreds 2000.00-2175.00; Approved 1500.00-1750.00, Me dium 1225.00-1400.00, Bred 3-6 months: Supreme 1900.00-2600.00; Jerseys 1975.00-2025.00, Approved 1450.00-1875.00 Medium 1025.00-1425.00, Crossbreds 1375.00-1610.00 Bred 1-3 months Supreme 1680.00-2075.00, Jerseys 1600.00-1700.00 Open Heifers Approved 200-300 lbs 750.00-1000.00,300-400 lbs 900.00-1100.00; 400-500 lbs 1000.00-1160.00; Jerseys 1025.00 1085.00; 500-600 lbs 1100.00-1300.00; 600-700 lbs 1270.00-1390.00, 700-800 lbs. 1250.00-1410.00, Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 510.00-625.00.

CRS Sale's Company, Highlandville, MO 10/18/07

Receipts: 1219, Last Month 1228

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: not tested. Slaughter Ewes: Utility 1-3 very few mostly white faced 130-255 lbs 10.00-24.00 Slaughter Bucks 155-235 lbs 10.00-27.00. Replacement Ewes: hair ewes 60-117 lbs 21.00-42.00 per cwt. Goats: Slaughter Classes- Kids Selection 1 50-60 lbs 90.00-107.00; 60-70 lbs 100.00-108.00; few 70-80 lbs 70.00-88.00; Selection 2 50-60 lbs 84.00-96.00; 60-70 lbs 85.00-96.00; Selection 3 most pygmy 60-70 lbs 42.00-51.00 Does/Nannies: Selection 1-3 large amount of pygmy 60-125 lbs 30.00-45.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 90-140 lbs 55.00-65.00; Selection 3 most Pygmy 46-125 lbs 30.00-45.00. Replacement Classes Does/Nannies: Selection 1 Reg and non Reg Boar Some young springer's 55.00-112.00 per head; Selection 1-2 80-130 lbs 40.00 55.00 cwt; Selection 2 80-105 lbs 44.00-50.00 cwt; Selection 3 60 119 lbs 26.00-41.00 cwt. Billies: Reg. Boers: few 110.00-260.00 per head. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 25-30 lbs 90.00 106.00; 30-40 lbs 91.00-106.00; Selection 2-3 25-30 lbs 66.00 86.00; 30-40 lbs 58.00-86.00 Selection 3 most pygmy 25-30 lbs 41.00-52.00 30-40 lbs 35.00-58.00.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .06 to .08 higher, Wheat Dec .02 lower others .01 to .15 higher, Corn .16 to .20 higher, KC Wheat .01 to .13 higher, Soybean meal 1.60 to 2.60 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans Nov Jan Mar May Jul	987 1005 3/4 1018 1/2 1023 1/2 1027 1/2	977 1/2 996 3/4 1011 1/4 1016 1021 3/4	974 1/4 993 1007 1/4 1011 1/4 1017	991 1/2 1010 1/4 1023 1/4 1026 1/2 1031 1/2	983 1/4 1001 1/4 1015 3/4 1020 1024 1/2
Wheat Dec Mar May Jul Sep	833 1/2 852 1/2 803 1/2 671 676	828 1/2 847 1/2 801 1/2 668 673	820 1/2 840 3/4 794 1/2 664 1/4 669	825 1/2 844 1/2 804 1/2 675 1/2 680	855 1/2 874 1/2 831 692 3/4 695
Corn Dec Mar May Jul Sep	362 378 1/4 388 3/4 397 1/2 401 1/2	360 1/2 377 1/4 287 1/2 396 3/4 402 3/4	358 374 1/2 385 393 1/2 398	367 1/4 383 1/2 393 3/4 402 1/4 406 1/2	370 1/4 386 397 404 1/2 409
KC Wheat Dec Mar May Jul Sep	843 852 809 3/4 676 3/4 678	838 844 801 671 3/4 673	832 3/4 839 803 671 673	839 846 1/4 810 679 679	869 876 1/4 840 696 1/4 697
SB Meal Dec Jan Mar May Jul	281.20 283.90 287.10 286.70 287.50	275.90 278.90 283.30 283.80 283.80	274.90 277.80 281.90 281.80 282.50	278.10 280.40 284.50 284.00 279.50	276.30 279.40 283.00 282.80 284.30

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle nearby .08 to .85 higher, others .43 to .85 lower, Lean Hogs .87 to 1.78 lower, except Apr .25 higher, Pork Bellies .95 to 2.30 lower, Feeder Cattle 1.65 to 2.75 lower.

Daily Entures Classes

r	Daily Futures Closes					
	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	
Cattle Oct Dec Feb Apr Jun	95.15 97.97 99.82 99.65 95.70	95.25 97.40 99.05 98.80 95.37	95.00 97.27 98.95 98.55 95.10	95.40 97.70 99.40 98.92 95.50	95.30 97.30 98.97 98.67 95.10	
Lean Hogs Dec Feb Apr May Jun	58.32 65.25 68.20 74.20 76.20	57.72 64.57 68.00 73.60 76.02	57.00 63.75 67.65 73.62 75.60	57.37 63.60 67.92 73.50 75.80	56.92 63.32 67.95 73.75 75.67	
Prk Bel Feb Mar May Jul Aug	85.25 85.07 86.00 86.00 86.20	85.07 85.07 86.05 86.00 86.20	83.32 83.60 85.35 85.35 85.10	82.97 83.65 85.40 85.05 85.05	83.40 84.05 85.65 85.30 85.05	
Fdr Cat Oct Nov Jan Mar Apr	113.10 113.22 113.85 113.35 114.17	112.50 112.52 113.07 112.65 113.72	112.07 112.07 112.35 112.35 113.67	112.25 112.22 112.25 112.35 113.37	111.50 111.30 111.15 111.65 112.50	
Milk Oct Nov Dec	18.47 17.80 17.30	18.50 17.90 17.43	18.50 17.60 17.03	18.52 17.80 17.24	18.53 17.88 17.37	

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .06 to .13 higher Wheat .01 to .13 higher Corn .22 to .27 higher Grain Sorghum .34 to .43 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soy- beans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	9.25 9.16 9.12 9.30 9.21	7.63 7.58 7.53 7.59 7.89	3.37-3.39 3.38 3.34-3.35 3.43-3.44 3.50	5.66 5.64 5.59 5.75 5.80
St. Louis Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	9.46-9.55 9.39-9.48 9.35-9.49 9.58-9.71 9.59-9.66	7.84 7.84 7.76 7.86 8.16	3.66-3.84 3.67-3.75 3.64-3.72 3.39-3.42 3.79-3.84	6.37 6.35 6.30 6.46 6.60
Central Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	8.97 8.88 8.84 9.02 8.93	7.29 7.24 7.16 7.21 7.51	3.25-3.32 3.31-3.33 3.28-3.30 3.39-3.42 3.42-3.43	5.75 5.73 5.71 5.83 5.85
S.E. MO Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	9.43-9.56 9.35-9.46 9.37-9.43 9.58-9.61 9.54-9.59	7.93-8.08 7.89-8.04 7.81-7.99 7.87-8.09 8.17-8.42	3.57-3.68 3.59-3.67 3.57-3.65 3.68-3.75 3.70-3.79	6.37-7.01 6.51-6.94 6.39-6.76 6.55-6.92 6.60-7.19

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT) *NEW CROP

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Several fast moving fronts have passed through the state in the past week bringing fain to many spots at some point. In the far northern parts of the state there were some reports of minor flooding. Prices are steady. (All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV>185) 150.00-180.00 premium quality Alfalfa(RFV170-180) 140.00-175.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) Round bales 80.00-140.00 Small, Big squares 90.00-160.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.00-6.50 per bale, 40.00-75.00 per large round bale, Good to Premium quality Prairie hay small squares 80.00-125.00, Fair to good quality Prairie hay 50.00-75.00, Premium Quality Brome large Squares 80.00-130.00 Good quality Brome 70.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome and mixed with grass round bales 35.00-50.00. Good quality Timothy Hay 3.00-4.50 per small square bale, Good quality Mixed Grass hay 30.00-60.00 per round bale. Fair to good quality bluestem 40.00 per round bale, Fair to good quality Bermuda grass 65.00 per round bale, Wheat hay 50.00-70.00, Wheat straw 1.75-3.50 per small bale.

Weekly Crop Report

Minimal progress was made in the corn harvest, as farmers in northern districts shifted combines into fields of mature soybeans. Central and southern areas also made good progress with soybean harvest. Fall fertilizer application and tillage became more widespread, with fall tillage 20 percent complete for the state. Wheat planting advanced substantially in all areas. However, rain put a halt to activities late in the week. Corn harvest is 83 percent complete, an advance of only 2 points from last week. Harvest is running about 1 week behind last year but slightly ahead of normal. Ninety-two percent of the soybean crop is dropping leaves, with 78 percent mature. Harvest progressed 16 points to 47 percent complete, 2 days behind last year but slightly ahead of the 5-year average of 45 percent. Yields are running near normal to above average in many areas, although reports in the northeast indicate very poor yields in the driest areas, with a few fields too poor to even harvest. Soybean condition is rated 11 percent very poor, 18 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 30 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. Winter wheat is 41 percent planted compared with 19 percent last week and 40 percent as the 5-year average.